### Accounting Prior to FY 13

- The cost of fringe benefits is specifically identified to the individual
- All non-state chartstrings are charged based on the benefits elected by the individuals paid from these chartstrings
- A central account pays for all benefits specifically identified to state chartstrings
- Some benefits that cannot be identified to an individual are paid centrally.
  - Worker's Compensation
  - Tuition Remission



### Leave Payout–Accounting Prior to FY13

- When an individual terminates, payout of leave is charged to the chartstrings that last paid the individual
- Often grant budgets cannot absorb this and the payout is charged to nonsponsored chartstrings and the costs are not recovered.

### Accounting Prior to FY 13 Example

#### John Tech is paid \$75,000 and is funded 50% from an NIH grant

	NIH Grant	State	Central Benefits	Total
Salary (1013)	\$ 37,500	\$ 37,500		\$ 75,000
Retirement (2720)	4,000		4,000	8,000
Health Insurance (2710)	6,200		6,200	12,400
FICA (2725)	2,750		2,750	5,500
Unemployment (2770)	35		35	70
Post-Employment Benefits (2712)	2,000		2,000	4,000
Total Benefits	\$ 14,985	\$ -	\$ 14,985	\$ 29,970

# Accounting for FY 13 and Forward Using Fringe Benefit Rate

- For each major employee class an average fringe benefit rate is calculated
  - For allowability on grants, must be negotiated with the federal government
  - We have faculty, staff, contractual, and post-doc rates
- This rate is applied to salary charges across all funding sources
  - Central fringe benefit budget has been allocated out to state budgets
- Rate includes the cost of leave payouts
- All benefits are paid centrally and funded from the application of this rate.

### Fringe Benefit Rates

	Apply to Accounts	FY13	FYI4+	Costs recorded in account
Faculty	1011 – Faculty 9/10 mo. 1012 – Faculty 12 mo.	25.0%	25.7%	2790 – Fringe rate Faculty
Staff	1013 – Exempt staff 1014 – Non-exempt staff	40.0%	41.0%	2791 – Fringe rate Staff
Contractual	2072 – Exempt staff (CI) 2073 – Non-exempt staff (CI) 2090 – Contractual employee (C2) 2071 – Faculty 2080 – Summer salaries 2110 – Overtime 2120 – Shift differential 2130 – On call pay 1020 – Graduate Assistants (summer wages only)	8.4%	8.4%	2793 – Fringe rate Contractual
Post Docs	1021 – Post Docs/Fellows	23.0%	23.2%	2792 – Fringe rate Post Doc
Students	1020 – Graduate Assistants (non summer wages) 2074 – College Work study 2075 – Students (other than CWS)	0%	0%	N/A
Other	2196 – Accrued Leave Payout	0%	0%	N/A

#### Accounting for FY 13 and Forward Example

#### John Tech is paid \$75,000 and is funded 50% from an NIH grant

			Fringe Clearing	
	NIH Grant	State	Account	Total
Salary (1013)	\$ 37,500	\$ 37,500		\$ 75,000
Retirement (2720)			8,000	8,000
Health Insurance (2710)			12,400	12,400
FICA (2725)			5,500	5,500
Unemployment (2770)			70	70
Post-Employment Benefits (2712)			4,000	4,000
Fringe Benefit Allocation (2791)(40%)	15,000	15,000	(30,000)	
Total Benefits	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000	\$ (30)	\$ 29,970

# Accounting for Leave Payout–FY13 and Forward–Regular Faculty and Staff

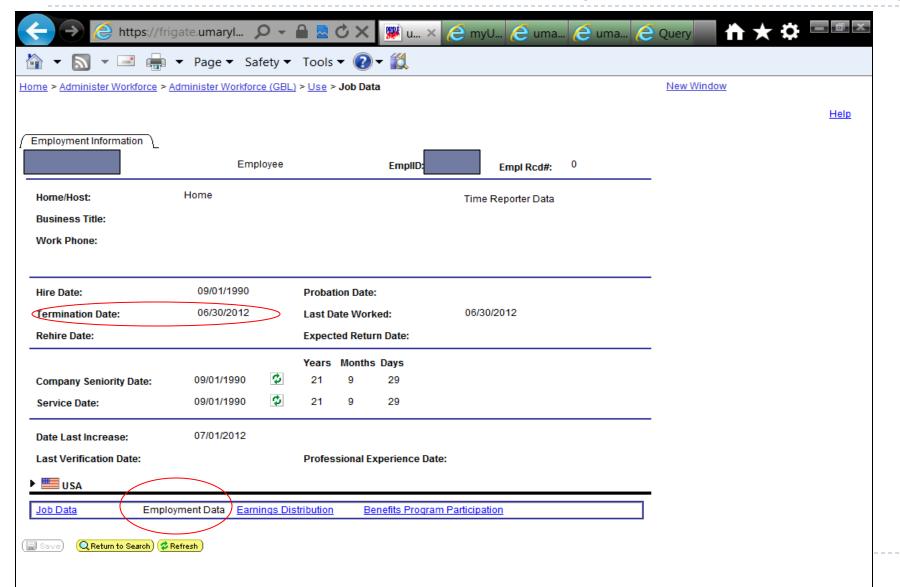
#### ▶ Terminations after 6/30/2012

- ▶ 100% of termination pay and the related benefits will be paid from the central Fringe Clearing Account (FCA)
- Enter the FCA HRMS account code 0000015682 on PA Form to avoid charging to department
- Leave Payout will not appear on Payroll Charges Detail Report (PCD)

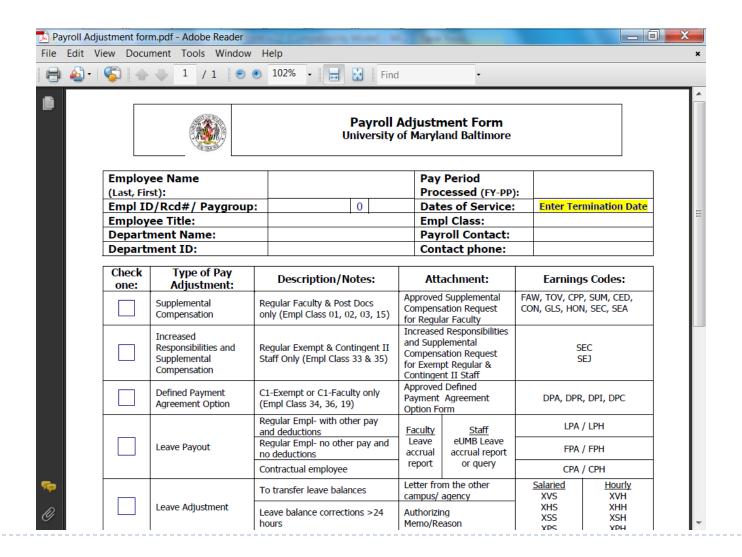
## Accounting for Leave Payout–FY13 and Forward–Regular Faculty and Staff

- ▶ Terminations before 7/1/2012 paid in FY 13
  - Leave Payout (Earnings) will be charged based on FY13 Fix EFP or redirect HRMS account code requested by department
    - Departments can reallocate using direct retro (FYI3 and forward)
    - Fringe benefit rate is not applied to these accounts
  - Taxes and fringe will be charged to the Fringe Clearing Account

### Termination Date - Employment Data Page



### Leave Payout – PA Form Sample



#### Contractual Employees

- Fringe benefit rate only covers FICA and unemployment
- Supplements for retirement and health benefits will continue to be handled on a contract-by-contract basis and be included as part of the contractual salary
- Leave payout accounting will not change for contractual employees
  - If included in the contract, this will continue to be paid from departmental budgets

#### Retro Pays Paid in FY 13 for Prior FYs

- Accounting is the same as regular wages paid in FY 13
  - i.e. the fringe rate will be applied to these wages

## Reallocation of Pre FY13 Salary and Benefits FY 13 and Forward

- As always, can only be accomplished by Direct Retro (DR)
- There will be two different DR Forms
  - FY13 and forward
    - New form
    - Only need to enter the salaries that need to be moved
      - ☐ Fringes will automatically follow based on fringe rate
      - ☐ Form calculates this amount for you
  - Pre FY13
    - ▶ The same form you have been using (slightly enhanced)

## Payroll Charges Detail Report and Summary of Payroll Charges

- New column added for calculated fringe
- FY 12 and prior will have the old columns populated and nothing in the calculated fringe
- FY 13 and forward will only have the calculated column populated

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#### University of Maryland UMB PAYROLL CHARGES DETAIL REPORT FOR EMPLID = For Pay Periods: 12-19 TO 13-02 [Date Range: 26-FEB-2012 TO 28-JUL-2012]

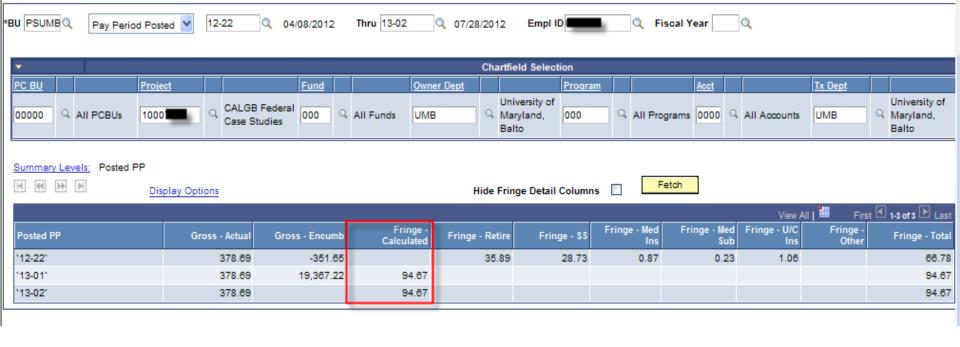
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#### UMB Paycheck/Distributions Screen

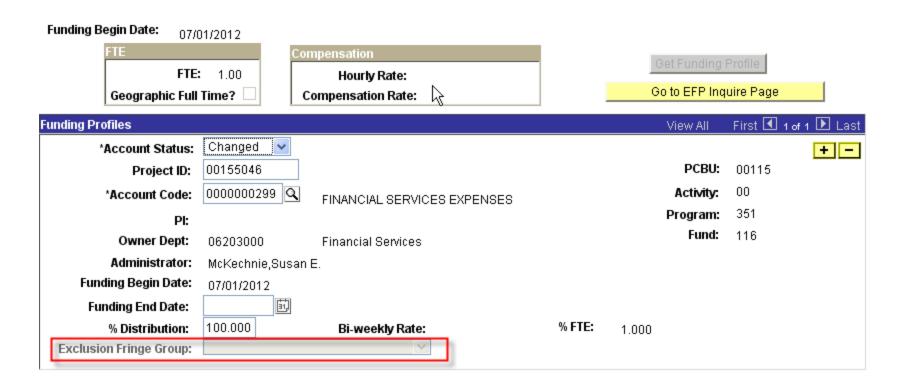
- Fringe Tabs have been removed
- Replaced by fringe rate table at the bottom of the screen

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#### Post Docs on Training Grants

- The only truly compliant way to pay these currently is through Accounts Payable
- Fringe exclusion checkbox on EFP will no longer be available
- All post doc wages will have the fringe rate applied
- The instances where we are paying through payroll will be identified and we will work with you directly to resolve issues



### Cost Sharing Funds (14x)

- Benefits will be charged according to the rates like all other funding sources
- Cost sharing funding journal will now charge the default departmental funding project
  - Based on the home department of the employee, not the department of the grant
  - Previously funded from central benefits budget

# What Has Not Changed Because of the Fringe Rate

- Benefit offerings
- How employees enroll in benefits
- Tuition remission process for grad students, employees, and dependents
  - Rate only funds employee tuition remission benefits and this was paid centrally before
- ▶ EFP/Budget Retro Process

#### Useful links

- www.cost.umaryland.edu
  - Rate Agreement with the federal government
  - FAQs
  - Direct Retro Forms